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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1714

PATENT  
2185-0480P

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**TC 1700** IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: NIPPA, S. Conf.: 1737  
Appl. No.: 09/708,519 Group: 1714  
Filed: November 9, 2000 Examiner: C. E. SHOSHO  
For: RESIN COMPOSITE AND METHOD FOR  
PRODUCING THE SAME

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM  
FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

April 15, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Notice of Appeal in the above-identified application.

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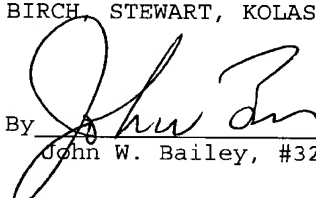
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- ☒ Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$920.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$920.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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